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Re:

Applicant(s):

Ankur P. Panchbudhe, Anand A. Kekre

Assignee:

VERITAS Operating Corporation

Title:

Performance of Operations on Selected Data in a Storage Area

Serial No.:

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page) (in duplicate);
- (3) Petition to Make Special Under 37 CFR §1.102(d) (6 pages);
- (4) Copies of 3 references for accompanying Petition;
- (5) Preliminary Amendment (6 pages);
- (6) Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 CFR §1.97(b) (1 page);
- (7) PTO 1449 (citing 15 references) (1 page).

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

		Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For_		Present Extra		<u>R</u>	ate		Additional <u>Fee</u>
Total C	laims	28	Minus	26	=	2	x	\$	18.00	\$	36.00
Independent Claims		4	Minus	4	=	0	х	\$	86.00	\$	0.00
	Fee of for the first filing of one or more multiple dependent claims per application									\$	
Total additional fee for this Amendment:									\$	<u>36.00</u>	
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	Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed document(s) after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, an extension of time is hereby requested.										
	Please charge our Deposit Account No. 502306 in the amount of									\$	<u>166.00</u>
	Also, charge any additional fees required and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 502306.										
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Respectfully submitted,

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